

Amendments to the Abstract

Replace the abstract with the following replacement abstract:

~~Disclosed is a~~ A cylinder (1) for the ~~receptacle of~~ receiving a printing form, which (1) is rotatable about its principal symmetry axis during a printing operation, ~~and which (1) comprises~~ has at least one first sleeve (20), ~~which (20) contains~~ containing carbon fiber reinforced plastic.

~~The novelty and inventive step lies in that the~~ majority of the carbon fibers in the plastic are aligned essentially parallel to the principal symmetry axis of the cylinder (1).

~~The method of the production of a cylinder according to the invention is also claimed.~~

~~(Figure 1)~~

For the examiner's convenience, a clean text version of the replacement abstract (51 words) is presented below:

A cylinder for receiving a printing form, which is rotatable about its principal symmetry axis during a printing operation, has at least one first sleeve containing carbon fiber reinforced plastic. The majority of the carbon fibers in the plastic are aligned essentially parallel to the principal symmetry axis of the cylinder.